

LISTING OF THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. – 4. (Canceled)
5. (previously presented) An isolated nucleic acid molecule comprising a nucleic acid sequence encoding a polypeptide comprising an amino acid sequence, SEQ ID NO: 4.
6. – 8. (canceled)
9. (previously presented) The nucleic acid molecule of claim 5, wherein said nucleic acid molecule comprises a nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO: 3.
10. (currently amended) The nucleic acid molecule of claim 5, wherein said nucleic acid molecule hybridizes under stringent conditions comprising a high salt buffer comprising 6X SSC, 50 mM Tris-HCl (pH 7.5), 1 mM EDTA, 0.02% PVP, 0.02% Ficoll, 0.02% BSA, and 500 mg/ml denatured salmon sperm DNA at 65°C, to the complement of SEQ ID NO: 3.
11. (canceled)
12. (currently amended) A recombinant expression vector comprising the nucleic acid molecule of claim 5.
13. (original) The vector of claim 12, further comprising a promoter operably-linked to said nucleic acid molecule.
14. (currently amended) A An isolated cell comprising the vector of claim 12.
15. – 79. (canceled)
80. (currently amended) A nucleic acid molecule comprising a complement of a the nucleotide sequence of claim 5 ~~encoding a polypeptide comprising amino acid sequence~~ SEQ ID NO: 4.